



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of: Shinako Matsuyama  
 Serial No. : 10/689,803  
 Filed : October 21, 2003  
 For : ELECTRONIC CASH SYSTEM  
 Date : March 22, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- No fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below.
  - Total claims in excess of 20 previously paid for, at \$18 (\$9) \_\_\_\_.
  - Independent claims in excess of 3 previously paid for, at \$88 (\$44) \_\_\_\_.
  - Additional Fee for this Amendment \_\_\_\_.
  - This response is being filed within the \_\_\_\_ first month, \_\_\_\_ second month, \_\_\_\_ third month, \_\_\_\_ fourth month, \_\_\_\_ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of \_\_\_\_ \$110 (\$55), \_\_\_\_ \$430 (\$215), \_\_\_\_ \$980 (\$490), \_\_\_\_ \$1,530 (\$765), \_\_\_\_ \$2,080.00 (\$1,040.00) is due and paid herewith.
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of February 22, 2005,  
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 5 of this Amendment.